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SPHERICAL CAST CARBIDE PARTICLES  
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Examiner : William P. Neuder  
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**AMENDMENT**

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Commissioner:

In response to the Office action mailed on October 4, 2004, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.